IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: Confirmation No.: 2499

Isao YAKO Group Art Unit: 2627

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Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated October 30, 2009. Please amend the application as shown on the following pages:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 9.